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Americans for Responsible Leadership

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Dear Ms. Denny:

This is in response to your letter dated April 26, 2000 concerning the March Monthly Report (2/1/2000-2/29/2000) of the above referenced Committee.

As we said in our letter dated April 14, 2000 concerning the February Monthly report, the Americans for Responsible Leadership (the "Committee") is a small committee that has few administrative expenses. Currently, it has no paid staff or rented office space and relies primarily on our firm, a fundraising consulting firm and volunteers to administer the Committee's activities. All of the expenses incurred to operate the Committee, including payments to its consultants, have been reported as federal operating expenditures on the Committee's FEC reports.

We hope that this information adequately addresses your questions. If you need any further information, please do not hesitate to contact the Committee.

Very truly yours.

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General Counsel

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